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1. There was small-scale practice on the southern bank of the Elbe River near Rosslau (M 52/E 17) combined with swept-back wing jet fighters making low-level attacks.
2. On 8 February 1950 there was intensive flying with individual swept-back wing jet fighters and in formations of two and four planes. Flying with jet fighters was also heavy on 9 February 1950. Swept-back wing jet fighters and conventional fighters with radial engine and red propeller hub were seen on 10 February 1950.

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☐ Comment:

The information shows that jet aircraft and conventional fighters apparently have been recently employed in the Soviet Zone of Germany making low-level attacks at ground targets to support practice of army units.

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